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A GREAT PAPER.

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SPIRIT OF THE MORNING PRESS.

The Sentinel rejoices that the discovery of the remains of Sir John Franklin and his companions is likely to put a stop to the current humbugs about searching for them. The editor seems to think that Sir John and his party died, simply victims to their own thirst for notoriety, and that they are therefore more commiserated than they should be.

The Union discusses the philosophy of the sesouri Compromise line, the effect of its esablishment upon the sectional harmony of the country, &c., holding that it was originally mischievous, and that its tendencies have ever since been bad. The Union, by mistake, we take it for granted, makes an attack on Gov. Seymour of New York, placing him in the same category with Bronson, as a disorganizer. The short paragraph in which this is done, if not a mistake, is destined to do its share in way of stripping the Administration triends in the State of New York.

The Intelligencer says that none of the New York "Soft" district conventions have endorsed the acquiescence (in the Nebraska bill) resolution of the Soft State Convention. and quotes the Albany Argus, ultra Hard and anti-Administration, to prove the fact. It is very clear to our mind, that the Intelligencer is making a mistake in endorsing what the Argus says in this connection; inasmuch as that journal has notoriously altogether repudiated the policy of telling the truth in what it says of " Softs."

JUST SENTIMENTS .- The Christian Recorder, a Baptist paper, issued at New York, says:

"The outrage upon a Catholic priest in Ellsworth, Me., merits the reprobation of all right-mended men. We know nothing of the priest or his doings, but we know that tar and feathers are the poorest of all arguments, damaging most those who apply them. The questions at issue with Catholics are best met on the field of open and honorable debate. A good cause needs no weapons but good arguments. The whole respectable press of the country will unite in reprobating the Ellsworth In a recent c. ening lecture, the Rev. John

C. Smith, D. D., paster of the Fourth Presbyterian church in this city, said :

"I was once requested to unite in a secret meeting, to discuss the political affairs of Europe, and incidentally of this country. I replied, . If any thing is to be done in secret, I shall not be a participant. My only plan is to light up the church and ring the bell!"

Sentiments like these, we believe, are the prevailing sentiments in the Christian church. They who are now most zealous in the work of denunciation and proscription, will oftentimes change the direction of their attacks. They will by and by accuse the objects of their persecution with having instigated their present work; and there will be enough of truth in this to give it color. Reflecting men, think of this!

THE OYSTER BUSINESS IN NEW YORK .- The Mirror of last evening says : The oyster business is nearly used up for the present. Some of the principal dealers have come out with a card, in which they say that in October there were sold in this City 1,000,000 oysters, and more than 250,000 persons ate oysters; and if they died was most certainly not owing to any deleterious qualities of the oysters.

Private letters from St. Petersburg state that the battle of the Alma was represented as a victory, and St. Petersburg was actually illuminated in honor of it. The retreat of the Rasians after the victory was accounted for as a stratagetic movement.

One of the Quebec papers thus cooly announces that it has been prosecuted for libel

The attornies for Miss Ferguson have sent ns information to the effect that that lady would be obliged to us for the sum of £500 the amount of damages which she alleges, her character has sustained at our hands. Not a doubt of it.

A Tough Story .- The correspondent of the Richmond Bulletin, writing from Baltimore, makes himself responsible for the following: "A curious feature in this election was the

fact, that a large number of foreigners went up to the polls unsolicited and voted an open now Nothing ticket. Une German gave as a n that he had been ruled by foreigners

enough in Germany, and he came here enjoy the control of Americans."

The Scientific men of France are at present speculating on a recent instance of a young man being brought to life after being frozen eleven months on the Alps. The blood of a living man was infused into the viens of the frozen youth, and he moved and spoke. The experiment was afterwards tried on a hare frozen for the purpose, with complete success.

The Baltimore Patriot, Whig, says: The anti-Renters, at a recent State Convention at Albany, nominated the Whig ticket for State officers. What next? Let us recapitulate: Whig, Abolition, Temperance, anti-Rent!

From the New York Mirror we learn that four thousand dollars were awarded to Charlotte Russell, as damages sustained in an omnibus which, through the carelessness of the driver, got jammed between the up-town and down-town trains of the Harlem cars.

WASHINGTON NEWS AND GOSSIP. The State of Things in the Crimea.-The

ast Liverpool mails bring details from the seat of war which shed much light on the movements and the present positions, aims and prospects of the opposing armies in the Crimea. The grand result of the news has been to create on the minds of military men in this country, the impression that the chances are at least even that Sevastopol will not fall and ten to one that if that city is taken by the allies, they will not be able to hold it for a fortnight. The most important facts and known to the American public by the arrival in question, are that the allies lost more men killed, wounded and prisoners, in the battle of the Alma, than the Russians; the latter having lost not over two thousand, at most killed and wounded, and thirty taken prison ers, and also three guns. Next, that the ap pearance of the Russian troops left dead and wounded, prove that their army is well clothed and fed, and composed of large, well made. and very healthy men; while the chelera is still devastating the ranks of the allies Again that the allies were greatly disappointed in as well as seaward, owing to new works having been thrown upon the north side, and ships of war being sunk as defences in the mouth of the harbor. Also, that Menschikoff was rest ing within a day's march of the walls of Sevastopol, with his army unimpaired by the battle of the Alma, so far as its efficiency i concerned; and that there was hardly an loubt that by the 15th of this month he would be joined by Ousten Sacken's and other corps d'armee, sufficient to enable him to fall, with almost certainty of success, on the rear of the besieging force, which had not commencea the seige on the 8th inst. From all this data. the impression here, as well as in England, is that one other such victory as that of the Alma, will result in a sweeping defeat of the allies. "Public opinion" in England is awaking to the realities of the war at last. So John Bull's teeth are chattering at a great rate. The English press is lamenting that Johnny has got himself into a regular "snap" by his propensity to meddle in the affairs of others. and anticipating all the horrors of a long protracted and unsuccessful war, upon the buiness interests of the Kingdom. So they go

The Presidency of the Senate.-It is understood that the Hon. Senator Atchison, of Missouri, will not be in Washington during the coming session of Congress. His term ex pires on the 4th of March next, and, we take it for granted, that his determination to remain in Missouri during the winter, is the bet ter to enable him to attend to his share of hi contest with Colonel Benton, the end of which may not come off for some months to come His absence from the cenate Chamber will make the election of another pro tem. Presi dent of the Senate necessary. From all we learn, there can be little doubt that that honor will fall upon Senator Rusk, of Texas. At least, that is the opinion of all here who are credited with being men of shrewdness in looking upon things political. General Rusk. besides being very popular with all his fellow Senators, without distinction of party, is famed for his discretion and ingenuousness as a public man, never wearing different faces to different persons. His compeers always know where to find him. We presume that there is no other man now in public life, in this country, who enjoys so much of the confidence of all his compeers, as does General R. He has fairly won the so-great-regard, in which he is held by his fellow Senators, by the strict integrity of his dealing with them, and all others, as well as by the evenness of his bearing to all. No man is more universally trusted here, and surely none deserves that high honor more than he does. There are times in which it is necessary to have, in such a position, a gentieman whose course can be predicted under any combination of circumstances. These facts, together with the well known general legislative attainments of General Rusk, serve to make the impression universal here, as before remarked, that he will surely be the successor of Vice President Atchison, in the chair of the Senate's Presiding Officer,

The Duty on Coal .- Unless we are greatly mistaken, before the end of the second week of the session, Congress will repeal the duty on coal, come from whence it may, making it absolutely duty free. This impression is entertained by the public men of all parties here, and grows out of the very unanimous sentiment of the country in favor of that policy, as manifested by all the newspapers not immediately in the interest of the miners of Pennsylvania. The capitalists of Pennsylvania may thank their greed, as displayed during the current season, for this coming legislation. They have fairly opened the eyes of all to the folly of taxing the community at large-the poorest, heaviest, according to means-for their especial profit.

Senator Gwin .- We have letters from San Francisco, bearing date September 30th ult., wherein we are assured by parties in whose means of information we have confidence, that the prospect for the re-election of Senator Gwyn is very bright indeed, it being so far found impossible to unite such a combination against him as may bid fair to defeat him He is traveling the State, conferring with his friends, and wherever he goes, his signal services to his State are acknowledged by a large portion of his political opponents, in languag such as precludes the idea that they can be induced to sacrifice the interests of California simply to give the Democratic short-boys of the State a victory over the other wing of The

The United States Ship St. Mary's .- We have information from this ship, dated Honolulu, Sandwich Islands, August 31st, last. All were well in her. By-the-by, we learn by this arrival that a newspaper roorback, (stating that "a man by the name of John Welsh was confined in a cage on the St. Mary's on the 7th of May-in the night he was heard to groan, and on the next morning was taker out a corpse,") which went the rounds of the United States newspapers, not long since, on reaching that ship, created much excitement on board of her, there being not a shadow of truth in it. Indeed, no such man as "John Weish" is borne on the ship's rolls, nor has there been a death aboard of her during her present voyage.

Acquitted .- The court martial assembling on the 17th of August last, at Fort Snelling, for the trial of Capt. Napoleon J. T. Dana Do pile on something else, to make the ticket | Assistant Quartermaster, under charges of speculation in connection with the discharge of his official duties at that post, bave honorably acquitted that officer of all the specifications of all the charges brought against him. This result was promulgated by the Commander-in-Chief, General Scott, on the day before yes-

following circular is now being issued by the Acting Fourth Auditor of the Treasury, A. J. O'Bannon, Esq. :

The act making appropriations for the naval ervice, approved August 5th, 1854, provides that the non commissioned officers, musicians, and privates of the United States Marine Corps shall be entitled to and receive the same pay and bounty for re-enlisting as are now, or may hereafter be allowed to the noncommissioned officers, musicians, and privates in the infantry of the army."-(10 Stat., 586) This extends the provisions of "An act to

ncrease the pay of the rank and file of the army, and to encourage enlistments," approved August 4th, 1854, (10 Stat., 575,) in respect to pay, and of the 29th section of the act of July 5th, 1838, as to bounty (three months' extra pay) for re-enlisting to the non-commissioned fficers, musicians, and privates of the Marine Corps, from the date of the act, viz : August

1. The pay of the nen-commissioned officers. musicians, and privates of the Marine Corps s, therefore, increased at the rate of four collars per month. The retention of one dolar per month, however, from the pay of the musicians and privates of the Marine Corps, directed by the act of 2d March, 1833, and ex tended to the whole term of their enlistment by the 5th section of the act of March 3d. 849, (9 Stat., 378.) is to be continued.

2. Every non-commissioned officer, musician. and private of the Marine Corps, who, having been honorably discharged from the service of the United States, shall, within one month thereafter, re-enlist, is entitled to two dollars per month in addition to the ordinary pay of his grade, for the first period of five years after the expiration of his previous enlistment, and a further sum of one dollar per month for each successive period of five years, so long as he shall remain continuously in the Marine

3. Every marine who was in service at the date of the passage of the act, who had served one or more enlistments, and been honorably discharged, is entitled to the above additional pay provided for a second enlistment, viz: wo dollars per month for the first five years

from the date of the act. 4. Every marine, honorably discharged before the passage of the act, but who re-entered service within one month after his discharge, and subsequently to the date of the act, is entitied, from the date of such re-entry, to two dollars per month in addition to the ordinary pay of his grade.

5. Every able-bodied non-commissioned officer, or private soldiers of the Marine Corps, who has re-enlisted since the 5th of August, 1854, or who may hereafter re-enlist into the Corps "within two months before or one month after the expiration of his term of service," is entitled to receive three months' extra pay as provided for like grades in the Army by the 9th section of the act approved July 5th, 1838.-5 Stat., 260.

The "three months' extra pay" (bounty) thus llowed (together with the increase of \$4 per conth) is included in the ordinary pay of the ade in which the marine may be serving

6. The allowance to marines at work on forifications, in surveys, in cutting roads, and other constant labor, of not less than ten days, uthorized by the act approved March 2d 1819, entitled "An act to regulate the pay of the Army when employed on fatigue duty," is increased twenty five cents per day for men employed as laborers and teamsters, and forty cents per day when employed as mechanics, at all stations east of the Rocky mountains, and thirty-five cents per day, respectively, when the men are employed at stations west of those mountains. The allowance of "whisky or spirits," or commutation therefor, is discontinued from and after August 5th. 1854.

7. The necessary data to enable the Paymaster Pursers to calculate the additional pay and bounty should be entered upon the Transfer and Pay Rolls. The dates of the several re-enlistments, and whether the marine had been honorably discharged, should be entered opposite the name in each case, or the certifieate of the Adjutant and Inspector, to that effect, should accompany the Pay Rolls.

The Critic's at Fault -" Some of the papers are laughing at a recent circular, (of Secretary Guthrie, we believe.) which exempts from duty "fish of all kinds, and all other creatures living in the water," which they compare to the expression, "all the world and the rest of mankind."-Baltimore Sun.

It happens that the expressions of the Treasury Department's Circular in question, of which the press are making so merry, are but literal quotations from the Reciprocity Treaty, and are, therefore, eminently appropriate as used, however strange they may sound to journalists so unfit for their business, as that they absolutely do not seem to know that other creatures beside fish, "live in the waters."

The 'an Trancisco Custom House.-The last California arrivals bring information that the foundations of the new Custom House at San Francisco were laid, ready for the stone work. They are represented to be by long odds the m st stable foundations ever prepared for a building in the new State.

The United States Steamship San Jacinto was to have left Southampton, England, on the 25th instant, to continue her voyage.

The Current Operations of the Treasury Department.-On yesterday, the 27th of Oct., aere were of Treasury Warrants entered on the books of the Department-

For the redemption of stock \$20.711 74 For the payment of Treasury debts 24,590 82 Lands..... 2,242 05 Covered into the Treasury frem miscellaneous sources.....

For the War Department..... For re-paying for the War Department For the Navy Department..... 59.754 00 For the Interior Department.... 1,197 01 For repaying in the Interior De-

partment..... 17,497 01

PERSONAL.

.... Alexander Cummings, of the Philadelphia Bulletin, calls upon President Pierce to resign. We presume he would not hesitate a moment about resigning the position he holds. if he held a fraudulent certificate of election, or it was generally believed that he bribed judging from those who publicly acknowledge themthe election judges to make false returns, as is

charged upon a member elect of the Pennsyl-

vania Legislature.

.... A Virginian has beaten the Yankees at their own weapons. John J. Rollow, of Fredericksburg, Va., has invented a machine which will husk and shell corn at one operation. The ear with husk is thrown in its mouth, and in the twinkling of an eye the corn falls at one point, the clean corn cob coming out at the other end. Its capacity is about four hundred barrels per day.

.... The late Richard Benyan de Beauvior, of Englefield House, Berks, England, has left, it is said, in real and personal property, upwards of thirty-seven millions of dollars.

.... Alderman Allen and Jacob Mass, of the Board of Health, Philadelphia, had a fight the other day. According to the Pennsylvanian, the Algerman got a beautiful pair

.... We have private letters from California to the 1st inst., saying that J. Ross Browne, Esq., of this city, the enterprising traveler and agreeable writer, had reached San Francisco, from Oregon, a week before that date, and was then off on a tour through the interior with Col. Jack Hays, surveyor general of California. Their purpose was to make an examination of the public lands lying within the State's boundaries.

.... The famous E. Z. C. Judson, otherwise known as Ned Buntline, has been arrested at Bowdoinham, Me., for shooting a colored man

Pay of the United States Marines,-The named Freeman. Judson says he was beset by a mob of Irish, who seized his horse, but fled when he fired upon them. What this has to do with shooting the negro remains to be seen. The wound is a bad one, but not considered mortal

.... There are two expeditions now in the Arctic seas, searching for Sir John Franklinone British, under Captain Collinson, and another, the American expedition, led by Dr.

.... Secretary Guthrie, we learn, has met with an accident which will detain him at Louisville until the 1st of November.

that of J. S. Redfield, Esq., of this city. Mr. R's bid was fifty-two cents per copy, or \$75,000

.... The executors of the late Samuel Appleton have transferred stocks to the par value of \$25,000 to the Boston Athenænum, from the fund of \$200,000 belonging to that estate, which they were directed by the deceased to distribute at their discretion, for "scientific, literary, religious, or charitable purposes."

.... Hon. Zadoc Pratt, of New York, is among the guests at present at Williard's Hotel, in this city.

.... The Albany papers announce the death, by cholera, of Joseph Courtney, chief clerk of E. Corning & Co., on Sunday. His father, Alderman Courtney, died of the same disease a few days since.

.... The N. Y. Sun says: The Committee selected to examine the bids for the publication of Barnum's work, have made their report. Twenty-one bids from book publishers, in this and other cities, were made, the highest being Miss Hosmer, the Yankee girl who has

been cultivating in Italy a natural taste for sculpture has finished two busts, which are now exhibited to the public in Boston, and highly praised there. The subjects are not American, but imported, old, classical. By and by, when her genius and her judgment have ripened, she will handle, perhaps, an American idea.

KNOW NOTHING ITEMS.

Know Nothings in New York. SYRACUSE, Oct. 26.-Five hundred Know Nothings assembled in this city, last night, for the purpose of hearing a speech from Daniel Ullmann. They also nominated a full ticket. composed partly of Whigs and partly of Democrats. For Congress, B. Davis Noxon is the nominee; and for Assembly, for the Third Dis-

trict, Alfred H. Hovey. They nominated the

Whig candidate for Judge.

Know Nothingism in Massachusetts. Bosron, Oct. 26.—Considerable excitement has been experienced in political circles today in consequence of the speech of Hon. Charles Allen at the Worcester convention yesterday, denouncing the Know Nothings, and charging their candidate for Governor with being one of the guard of Sims when he Everett, Capt TS 2 Paul, Z M was carried back to bondage. He also directly slighted Gen. Wilson, the Republican candidate for Governor, by not noticing him. while he recommended the Republican candidate for Lieutenant Governor as worthy of support. It is stated, further, that some of the Republican leaders have been in session in this city for several days past, concerting plans to use up the Know Nothing party in this State. They charge Gen. Wilson with aiding in the nomination of Gardner, and pro-

pose to throw him overboard. At New York, naturalization goes on with unexampled rapidity. The entrance to the bureaus of naturalization are crowded from nine in the morning till late in the afternoon. No less than two hundred per day, for the last two weeks, have been admitted to the honors of American citizenship.

There arrived at New York, up to the 18th instant, 253,974 emigrants, and from that date to Wednesday, 7,634; total, 261,608, which is an increase for the corresponding period in 1853, of 35,796. The aggregate receipts to the 13th instant, on account of emigration, was \$545,607 31; disbursements to the 18th inst., on same account, \$453,260 86. Balance in bank Uctober 25th, 1854, \$99,470 12.

From 1848 to 1853, the money remitted rom North America to Great Britain by emigrants, through the principal banking and mercantile houses, reached the enormous sum of £5,790,000, or nearly twenty-nine millions of dollars.

The average emigration from Great Britain for the last seven years has been 303,033 annually, or a total of 2,121,231, while for the previous 32 years it amounted to only

BALTIMORE CORRESPONDENCE

BALTIMORE, Oct. 27, 1854. Quite a singular, very rare, and interesting phenomenon made its appearance in the heavens, this vening, about eight o'clock. It may have escaped the notice of many, yet it was observed and admired by quite a number, myself among them. All of a sudden there stretched athwart the heavens, rom southwest to northeast, a luminous milky belt. it commenced near the moon, which was sinking ow in the horizon, and extended to the Pleiades, then fading away into invisibility. Its track in the azure dome somewhat resembled a rainbow. The sky at the time was unclouded and studded with stars, affording to all who had the pleasure of beholding the phenomenon a most interesting view. have seen the aurora borealis frequently in every phase and in all its splendor; also the lumi rous treamers visible after sunset; but this differed materially from anything I ever before saw. Some pronounced it a lunar bow; and not knowing what else to call it I agreed with them. Its duration was probably twenty minutes, bursting into beauty like a splendid meteor, captivating for a while—

" And like the snow-drop in the river, A moment white, then gone forever." A group of Know Nothings were star-gazing a I asked one of them what he supposed i

He replied, "I don't know." It seemed. in reality, to be as mystic to my comprehension as is the peculiar platform of principle upon which the phenomenon-I leave it for future scientific investigations. Some heavenly body may have quickly shot across the firmament, leaving behind this tuminous trail. Who knows that it may not have been the lost pleiad returning, after long years of absence, to meet and re-unite with its former twink Some individual, in writing from Baltimore,

short time since, to the Abolition organ in Washington, has done the Know Nothings decided injustice by stating that the strength of their party consisted in an amalgamation of abolitionism and temperance, or rather of abolitionists and temperance men. This, erves members of the mystic order, is grossly false and inconsistent, so far at least as it applies to Abolitionists. I know of but one decided, uncompromising Abolitionist in Baltimore, and that is Dr. Snodgass. Nor did the climate suit him, as he has of late betaken himself to New York, and amalgamated subordinately, with the Tribune. I do not write to defend the Know Nothings, but our city from so unjust an aspersion. It is conceded, since the recent election-facts confirming the concesion-that there are a few Know Nothings (more, perhaps, than Bourbons) amongst us, and to say a larger portion of them are Abolitionists, is libeling Baltimore. If we were as free from sin as from abelitionism, generally speaking, our chance would be almost good for universal salvation. We are, perhaps, experimenting in a new political era, but not such an one as the Washington organ would have the world be-

No further progress has been made in regard to the city appointments. Mr. Hinks, I am told, has quite a number of cases under serious advisement. A critical investigation has to be made with reference to blood and religion before any promise i made. Two or three have laid in their claims, and were found objectionable on this score. Where the Irish brogue is at all apparent, of course no difficulty is encountered; but there are some whose genealogy is known only to themselves, and who may have been born in the island of Man, Joanes, Cuba, Kamschatka, or in "Old Hugheys" delectable vailey where exist the "rest of mankind," that might creep in and contaminate unadulterated Natives. A sharp look out must be kept for these; and it is suggested that a committee be appointed to inspect such, and give certificates to none but the

A strenuous effort has been making here to obtain subscriptions for the new organ newspaper about being established in Washington. What success it has met with I am not able to say; but if the contemplated organ be put into operation at home, in opposition to the Clipper, a national organ may not be desirable. I hope, however, that these journals may spring effectually into existence. They may, however find it an uphill business to advocate publicly a doctrine and principles whose main chance is in secrecy. An open field and a fair fight, free from bush and chapparal, will do good. Give us the or gans, and the organ grinders, that we may have light.

Remaining in the Post Office, Washington City, D.C., October 28, 1854. Persons applying for letters in the following list, will

LADIES' LIST. Mitchell, Mrs Marion Adams, Mrs Martha L Abbott, Mrs Elizabeth Minham, Mary Massil, Miss Rachel, colo Moses, Miss Bettie Nond, Miss Bridget Pope, Mrs John H Phisk, Mrs Harlet P Bushbrys, Miss Virginia Boston, Miss Maria 2 Barry, Miss Annia Bailiss, Miss Matilda Barker, Miss Mary Potts, Mrs A B lopp, Mrs Margaret A Pepper, Mrs E D Runn, Miss E A Riley, Mrs Mary Jane Chin. Elizabeth Ciements, Mrs Eliza A Campbell, Miss Marian Dorsey, Mrs Eliza Dixon, Mrs Priscilla Dyson, Mrs Priscilla Dyson, Mrs Bebeca A Edelea, Miss Laura J 2 Evans, Miss Mary Franklin, Miss Mary A Geherty, Bridget Gleeson, Bridget Hughes, Mrs Robert Harrington, Mrs Mary Jaisey, Miss Louisa M

Randal, Miss Jerry Ramsey, Miss Violetta Smith, Mrs Mildred G Smith, Martha L Sweeny, Margaret Tult Miss Theres: Taibot, Mrs Sallie Tenny, Miss Mary I Tucker, Mrs Samuel Thornbury, Miss Sarah Phrelkeld, Mrs Harriet Tously, Eliza Jane Trunnel, Miss Caroline Vandike, Miss Susan Ward, Miss Catharine White, Mrs Mary E Wise, Margaret E Locke, Miss Louise Williamson, Mary Watson, Mrs Ann

McColgan, Miss Catharine McDonnell, Widdow Mary Williams, Mrs Sarab Martin, Miss Belly E Welliams, Catharine Manahan, Miss Catharine GENTLEMEN'S LIST Riell, Lt R B Rensenger, Louis Remenen, Louis Armstrong, J P T Graven, Thos Gillison, Francis Berry, Zachariah Bond, Wm Botts, Thos B Rohleder, John C Rose, John Z Ritchey, Jas H Rynix, John Rabbitt, Isaac O Bartlett, Richar Ridley, David Rhulman, Adam Sexton, Timothy Sinclair, Purser Hughes, A Skillman, S H Sutton, Robert 2 Smith, Dr Philip Sleaver, Peter Starrett, Prestot Sudavig, A Stevenson, M Shales, Lewis Bryan, Lt Francis Stewart, Jomes Brooks, David G Kenney, Col H : King, Chas, jr Blake, CB Sena, Jose Sellick, Jas B

Bradley, Ambrose Swain, James Stubbs & Joevin Lewis, James H Samson Henry Labouchere, H Sheppard, D W Stubblefield, Day Chilton, Major R H Levering, A J Cohelen, Patrick Moran, Wm M Smith, D S Cavanaugh, Michael Morton, Dr W Smith, Chas H Cummine, J D Campbell, Dr John Sullivan, C H B Smith, Albert Moore, W J Murtaugh, Wm T Cowing, John Tattersall, W K Cameron, Hugh Maxwell, 8 Touby, Michael Murry, Mr Mudd, J H C 2 Carter, C H 2 Tebbs, A Sidney Vincent, Frederic Van Biber, H P Charlier, Rev'd Mulcahy, John Mare, John H Van Patten, John Murphy, Jas Madigan, Patrick Cabel. Anthony

Valentine, Wm Waterhouse & Co Davis, Dr Jas Bolton McCann, D C Willits, Col C C Dashiell, Maj J T McEnery, John Dods, George Durive, Frederic Doherty, Edward Dorsey, Edward E Nolan, Thos Nichols, P 8 2 Ward, Thos G Webb, Maj S H Neale, B J Woodruff, Capt J C Werner, John Mar Duncan Andrew Pentaguel. Peter P Williams, J G Posta, Luigi M Pall, J W White, George Fillegan, Timothy Fejada, Rafael G Wirt, Dabney Poe, George Wickersham, CP Palmer, Renwick, T Webb, Charles Westcott, Lt B N Randolph, Lt Robt Young, Samuel Oct 28 JAMES G. BERRET, P. M

Young Catholies' Friend Sociof this Society, will be delivered by the Rev. Mr Burns, at St. Patrick's Church, on to-morrow (Sunday) morning, at 11 o'clock. The proceeds to be applied by the Society to clothing and educating poor children. MASONIC .- A called meeting of Nation al Lodge, No 12, will be held THIS (Saturday) EVE-NING, at 7 o'clock. The Members are hereby noti-

fied to be punctual in their attendance as the M. W. Grand Lodge will make the annual Grand Visitation, and it is earnestly derired that all the mem-bers be present. Brethren in good standing are cordially and fraternally invited. By order of the W. M.: oct 28-1t S. BULOW BRWIN, Secretary. Grand Subscription Ball. The

National Greys respectfully inform the citicens of Washington that they are making arrangements to give a Grand Subscription Ball on Monday evening Nev. 13th, 1854. For particulars see future advertisement.

Secretary of the Executive Committee. R. H. GILLET.

Counsellor at Law. Office and residence in Franklin Row, corner of E and Thirteenth street. oct 28-dly DEEBE'S NEW YORK HATS .- A PULL and complete assortment of Beebe's New

York Hats for the Fall trade, at Salesroom, Browns' Hotel CPECIAL NOTICE. - WE EXPECT AND positively request all persons indebted to us on accounts rendered 1st July last, to come forward and settle them without further notice.

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ture is requested to the very exter sive sale of house hold and kitchen Furniture to take place on Monday next, at the Mansion Hotel. The sale is peremptory and from the large quantity to be disposed of bargains may be expected.

ROTHWELL & BROWN, Auctioneers.

MENTLEMEN'S DRESSING ROBES .- Our usual

I full assortment of gentlemen's Dressing Rotes of various qualities and styles, is just opened Also a small invoice of French nobes For sale at uniform and moderate prices at STEVENS'S

Salesroom, Browns' Hotel. FOR MOUNT VERNON. On TUESDAYS and FRIDAYS.

Fare round trip \$1; from Alexandria 75 cents .- The THOMAS COLLYER leaves

Washington a: 9 and Alexandria at 8% o'clock. Coaches leave the Capitol for the boat at 8% o'clk Cosch fare 10 cents. Perrons wishing the Coaches will leave their resi lence with Geo. & Thos. Parker. Refreshments on the boat.

SAM'L GEDNBY, Capt, NO HUMBUG. SELLING OFF AT COST. AVING come to the determination to change my business entitely, I now offer my stock of Fancy Triwming Goods and Embroideries at first east, consisting in part of-

Embroidered Collars, from 18% cents to \$10 Hdk is from 25 cents to \$5 Sleeves, from 50 cents to \$8 and Lace Setts, from 3 to 20 Head Dr sses, from 50 cents to \$2 Dress and Cloak Trimmings of all kinds, from 3 ets

In addition to which a very fine assortment of-Bonnet and plain satin and lustring Ribands, all widths and colors Swiss and cambric edgings and Insertings Linen cambric Handkerchiefs Blond, thread and cotten Laces Black silk and gimpure Laces

And in fact ever, thing in store is to be seld at cost for cash. So come early, one and all, to P. F. MYER'S. Blue and White Awning, Pa. svenue, between 8th and 9th sts.

PURE SILVERWARE. MAGNIFICENT ASSORTMENT.-M. W. GALT A BRO. call attention to their unusually large assortment of Silverware, consisting of -Solid Silver Tea Sets, complete Silver Pitchers, solid silver Castors Do Cups and Saucers, Goblets Do Fish Carvers and Forks

Crumb Scrapers, Cake Knives Fruit Shoveis, Sugar Sifters Jelly Spoons; Cheese Scoups Pickle Knives and Forks, Olive Spoons Salad Tongs, Vegetable Forks Fruit Knives, Ice Tongs, Dessert Knives Soup, cream, and gravy Ladles Ice Cream Knives, Salt Cellars Napkin Rings, Butter Knives, Tea Strainers Tea, table and dessert Spoons and Forks of every

Breakfast and dinner Coffee Spoons, &c.

Also, a very large assortment of Fancy Silver-ware, suitable for wedding, birthday, and other The above is by far the largest and most varied

assortment ever offered to our customers. Being of our own manufacture, it is warranted pure silver, and effered at as low rates as similar goods can be purchased for in any city in this country.

M. W. GALT & BRO.

Sign of the Golden Eagle, Pa. avenue, between 9th and 10th sts. The highest price paid for old Silver.

No. 6.

FIREMENS AND CITIZENS'

GRAND BALL, AT ODD FELLOWS' HALL

On MONDAY EVENING, Nov. 6th, 1854. THE NORTHERN LIBERTIES FIRE COMPANY take pleasure in announcing to their friends and the public generally that their Second Annual Ball will take place at Odd Fellows' Hall, Seventh street, on MONDAY EVEN-ING. November 6th, 1854.

or pains will be spared to make this the Ball of the Firemen are respectfully requested to appear in The very best Cotillon Music has been engaged for Ti kets \$1-admitting a gentleman and ladies; to

be had of any of the members, and at the door on

The Company pledge themselves that no expense

the evening of the ball. MANAGERS M Birckhead, J H Goddard, jr 8 P Rob J Williams, T R Warren, C Grimes, T Dawson. C Matlark, J Co'umbas J E Moran C Gooch, CF Lowrey

L Newmyer, Floor Managery.

Floor Managery.

G Evans, J Ward, J T Subst Wm Smith, E G Evans, oct 21-8W,8W,8&Met

R Leckie,

GRAND MILITARY BALL. THE Executive Committee of President's Mount ed Guard take great pleasure in announce to their numerous friends, the military and citizens generally that they will have the honor of giving heir Second Grand Ball on TBURSDAY EVENING. November 2d, at Odd Fellows' Hall, when they pledge themselves that nothing shall be left undon o make it "the Ball of the Season." The arrangenents are complete in every particular. The Supper and Refreshments will be furnished

Prosperi's celebrated Military and Cotillon Band are engaged to delight those who "trip it on the light fautactic toe." The Ball will be opened by a Grand Promenade

by an experienced caterer

at 9 o'clock, the Band performing the President's Mountei Guard Quick tep, composed and arranged by Prof. Prosperi, expressly for the Company, and dedicated to Capt. Joseph Peck.

Tickets \$2—admitting a gentleman and ladies may be procured from Captain Peck or any member of the Executive Committee

Executive Committee. Chas. W. Flint, 2d Lt, John Bohlayer, 3d Lieut J L Hesser, 2d Sgt, J Peddicord. Jno T Evans, Qr. M.

Committee of Reception, Lt Baden, Capt Jos Peck, Lt C W Plint, Lt Bohlayer. Private L & Tarr. Surg 8 C Busey, Ord 8gt Jno 8 Finch, Corp P May, Corp Geo seitse Sgt Chas Brown, Corp L A Hall, Corp Geo S Kra't, Priv Geo Hendley, Priv Wm Moore Priv Chas Thoma. Priv Wm Laskey, Priv E Hughes,

Priv - Southron

Priv & Shucking,

Priv P Stevens, Priv Wm Wilson Priv A Schwartze, Priv W J Jordan Priv A Bohlayer, Qr M Jno T Evans, Floor Manager. C. W. PLINT, Tree Positively no Hats or Caps will be allowed in the

Priv G Stewart,

FOR HIRE—A COLORED MAN, ACCUSTOMED to waiting and general housework. Satisfactory reference given. Enquire at the Star Offices. IMPORTANT NOTICE. ASHINGTON CITY, OCT. 27, 1854.-Notice is hereby given that from and after Monday

next, October 30th, the price of bread will be cents per pound to stores Private Customers By order of the Master Baker.s Association : JOHN P. HAVENNER, Secretary.

DUTNAM'S MAGAZINE for November received and for sale at SHILLINGTON'S Bookstore

Blackwood's Magazine for October Godey's Lady's Book for Ladies National Magazine do All the New Books and everything in the Sta

ti nery Line for sale at SHILLINGTON'S Bookstore, Odeon Building, cor. 41/2 st and Pa. av. MRS. PETTET.

EACHER of an improved and easy plan of Ladies and Children's Dress Cutting, can be found at her rooms, at No. 358, on Seventh street, above I. where ladies can receive instructions from 9 to 12 a. m.; and 3 to 5 p. m. Terms of tuition including one sett of Models and Ladies by leaving their address can join the Wed-

nesday morning class at \$2 50. Linings cut and fitted 50c. Paper weist patterns A variety of Ladies' and Children's patterns of the lates' style just received and for sale.

FALL AND WINTER GOODS. SOUTH SIDE BRIDGE STREET, NEAR HIGH.

GEORGETOWN, D. C. TAP received and is now offering at low prices a general and well selected assortment of FALL AND WINTER GOODS. Bought priccipally at the Philadelphia and New York Auctions—enabling him to offer extra induce ments to cash or prompt short time customers.

In his assortment will be found a rich assort Plaid Silks Plain and striped blk do Merinos, Plaids. De Laines Cloak Cloths, Velvets And Dress Goods generally. Also, a good assortment of Boys and Gentlemen'

Best Paris Kid Gloves Biankets, Flannels Shawls, Sheetings, Shirtings Table Lines, Napkins, &c. A call is solicited J. H. SMOOT. OMINOES, Back Gammon Boards & Play

Jing Cards at EAMMOND's, 7th st. OLLS AND DOLL HEADS of every LAMMOND'S, 7th st.

GENTLEMENS' UNDER GARMENTS.—We have this day received a large and fine assortment of all styles and qualities of seasonable Undergar-

ments, which we are off-ring at very low prices. WALL & STEPHENS. Penusylvania avenue, next door to Iron Hall. [Int& News]

LOAK AND DRESS TRIMMING .- I have justre-Trimming; such as Plush, Velvet, Galloon, Fringe, Ribands, and Braids. Also, handsome black and colored Fringes for mantles, black silk and Gimpure Laces, black and white blonds. In addition to which I may add black and colored Vervets, Plushes, Satins and Silks for bonnets, lace and embroidered sets. Also, Jouvins, unrivalled; French kid Gloves

at 87% cents, that are retailing in Baltimore at \$1 per pair. I would call particular attention to my asser men of embroidered Handkerchiefs, Collars, Lace Sleeves and Ribands from auction.

Mrs R. A. PEACO, No. 12, Centre Market Space

TOILET SOAPS.

THE subscribers return their thanks to their numerous friends and customers in the District and elsewhere for the patronage hitherto extended to them, and beg leave to inform them that in addition to their usual stock they are now manufacturing and will have constantly on hand all kinds of Toilet and Pancy Soaps, to which they invite their attention. We warrant our Foaps equal to any made, and will sell on as reasonable trms as the same article can be purchased in any of the North; ern cities. T. O. DONNOGHUE & SON.

Georgetown, Oct 25-3m* LUMBER, CEMENT, &c. GENERAL assortment of LUMBER, consisting

White Pine Boards and Plank Decking Oak Boards and 3 and 4 inch Plank Cherry, Poplar and Hemlock 100,000 Venetian Slate, assorted sizes.

1,000 barrels Rosendale Cement 500 do Calcined Plaster, No. 1-For sale from the wharf, on pleasing terms, by CARR, GIESE & CO., Spear's Wharf, Baltimore, Md.

DOYS! WHEELBARROWS and Air Pistola at LAMMOND'S, 7th st. oct 26-3t TAIR BRUSHES-JUST RECEIVED FIFTEEN dozen assorted Hair Brushes. Also, a large variety of tooth, nail, hat, clothes, Bathing & Dust-

ing Brushes, Tuck, side, puff, dressing, fine & pockaet Combs. Also, Tooth Powders, Toilet Poap, Shaving Cream, Cologne, Bay Rum, &c., for sale low, at the Piano and Fancy Store of

JNO. P. ELLIS,

806 Pennsylvania avenue,